

# DOINGS OF THE WEEK IN SOCIETIES OF THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Great Many Local Organizations Held First Meeting of the Present Season in Last Week.

New Rosters of Officers Elected for the Year Just Begun in Several Bodies.

## FRATERNAL

Grand Chancellor James W. Carter and other Grand Lodge officers visited Amaranth Lodge, No. 28, K. of P., Monday night, in the Northeast Temple, Twelfth and H streets northeast. Chancellor Commander Charles E. Ferguson welcomed the grand chancellor. Speeches were made by Past Grand Chancellor John W. Hardell, of Equal Lodge, No. 17; Supreme Representative John C. Yost, of Amaranth Lodge; Past Chancellor J. S. McCartney, of Valley Lodge, No. 70, Hagerstown, Md.; Past Chancellor John A. Frank, of Justus H. Rathbone Lodge, No. 29; Past Chancellors Jesse F. Grant and J. L. Holland, of Century Lodge, No. 30; Chancellor Commander Lee Mockbee, of Hermione Lodge, No. 12, and Knight Solers, of Capital Lodge, No. 24.

Mt. Vernon Lodge, No. 5, the second oldest Pythian Lodge in existence, was visited on Wednesday night, at the Pythian Temple. The grand chancellor was welcomed by Chancellor J. C. Yost, who presided. The meeting was addressed by Past Supreme Representative John M. Kline, of Mt. Vernon Lodge; Grand Vice Chancellor Jefferson Middleton, Past Chancellor R. E. Glascock, and Chancellor J. C. Yost. The meeting was held in the Pythian Temple, 423 G street northwest, and Friday night Syracuse Lodge, No. 10, in the Pythian Temple.

## RED MEN'S LODGES

The grand visitation of Great Sachem D. J. Marvin and the chiefs of the Great Council of the Improved Order of Red Men to Mineola Tribe, No. 14, October 13, was one of the largest gatherings of Indians in Anacostia. Large delegations were present from Logan, Sioux, and White Eagle tribes. Logan Tribe attended dressed as farmers and rubes, representing the side of the order, "the Haymakers." The only visitation scheduled for this week is to Seltzer Tribe, No. 16, October 24, at 623 Louisiana avenue northwest. At the regular council fire of White Eagle Tribe, No. 17, Thursday, a delegation was present from Sioux Tribe. The three degrees were conferred on H. H. Snyder.

## LOGAN TRIBE, RED MEN, VISITED IDAHO TRIBE

Idaho Tribe, No. 15, I. O. R. M., kindled its council fires in its wigwam Tuesday with large attendance. The great council fire of the District of Columbia, accompanied by large delegations of local tribes, made the annual visitation. The members of Logan Tribe were dressed in female costumes.

## NEW CAMP OF WOODMEN INITIATED INTO RITES

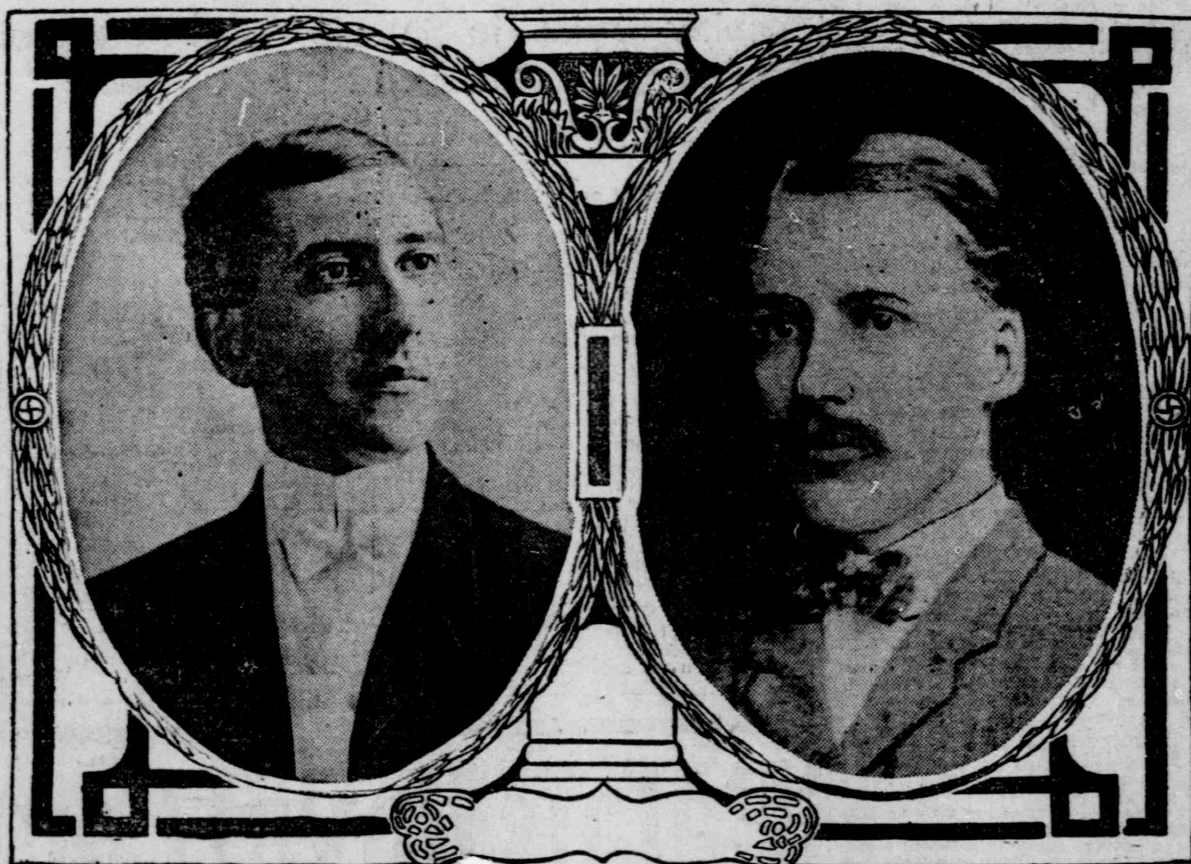
A large number of Modern Woodmen attended the initiation Friday night of Columbia Camp, No. 11523, at Union Veteran Legion Hall, 910 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. The ceremonies were conducted by State Deputy George H. Russell, assisted by District Deputy William G. Maxfield and Assistant Deputies George W. McMorris and William C. Botcher. Chief Forester William H. McIntyre and his uniformed drill team of sixteen foresters from Washington Camp, No. 11464, initiated the new members into the mysteries of Modern Woodcraft. Short addresses were made by Deputies Maxfield and McMorris, David J. Kaufman and others. State Deputy Russell presented to George W. McMorris a handsome gold button for securing twenty of the charter members.

Those who compose the new organization are: William G. Maxfield, George W. McMorris, William C. Botcher, David J. Kaufman, Dr. Edward C. Hunter, Watson L. McMorris, Charles H. Becker, William A. Hobbitt, John B. Mitchell, Orlando E. Bowman, William F. Matteson, Ernest F. Hawkins, Presley Wedding, Frank B. Haskel, Lambert L. Boyd, James R. McInougal, William A. Looper, William J. Mineburg, Augustus Lyles, Bertron W. Blizard, Michael Cannatella, Frederick A. Royse, William N. Compton, Leo Loeb, George A. Duvall, Charles M. Jones, William H. Cross, Francis B. McCathern, Albert L. Doran, Newton C. Stone, George D. Warner, Stephen B. Callahan, Jacob L. McGee, Thomas L. Anderson, Otho O. Angevine, Andrew G. Smith, Thomas S. Sergeant, C. L. Fletcher, C. R. Bartlett, W. J. Hoffman, M. A. Collins, E. J. Gunn, J. J. Kelly, M. G. Warfield, M. R. Kubatz, J. L. McCole, E. S. Harrison, J. L. McGarty, F. H. Ellis, H. A. Folen, O. C. Wilson, and Grant Barnhart, M. D.

## CHAMPION COUNCIL ORGANIZES NEW TEAM

Champion Council, No. 15, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, at its meeting Wednesday night had the largest attendance for years. It was decided to put on a new de-

## PROMINENT OFFICERS OF PYTHIAN COMMANDERIES



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WALLACE W. KIRBY,  
Chancellor Commander, Mt. Vernon Lodge, No. 5.

CHARLES E. FERGUSON,  
Commander Amaranth Lodge, No. 28.

gree team, and Capt. Henry Taylor, an experienced drillmaster, was made captain of the team. Champion Council is growing in membership, and bids fair to stand first in the District.

## STATE COUNCIL, J. O. U. A. M., HOLDS SEMI-ANNUAL SESSION

The State Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., District of Columbia, held its semi-annual session October 17, at the hall of Eagle Council, 902 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. There was a large attendance of representatives and past councilors.

A resolution presented by Past State Councilor McGill, on the immigration question, appropriating \$200 for the use of the State legislative committee to assist the national legislative committee in the effort to have Congress pass a new law for the restriction of immigration, was unanimously adopted. The State board of officers was instructed to arrange for the annual Thanksgiving service at one of the prominent churches.

The subordinate councils are in splendid condition, having a membership of about 850, with a surplus in their treasuries. Following are State council officers: Junior past State councilor, C. O. Bohrer; S. C. A. J. Smith; V. S. C., John A. H. Hargett; S. C. secretary, John E. C. W. H. W. Cauffman; S. C. R. C. H. P. Walker; S. C. I. S. C. R. C. chaplain, W. A. Collins; national representative, John E. Smallwood; deputy national councilor, H. F. Steele.

## ARGO WILL INITIATE INTO SECOND DEGREE

Argo will meet Sunday at 3 p.m., when the officers of the grand lodge will be present. There will be work in the second degree for the visitors, and other things of equal importance.

## TEMPERANCE

## W. C. T. U. COMMITTEE HELD BUSY SESSION

The executive committee of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of the District of Columbia, held its regular monthly session Wednesday at 22 Sixth street northwest, with the State president, Mrs. Clinton Smith, in charge. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Mahoney, president of Southeast Union. Mrs. Amelia Clay, past president of Salem Center (Ind.) Union, was introduced. A committee, with Mrs. Catlin chairman, was appointed to assist in the work among the children of

Willow Tree alley in the southeastern section of the city. The superintendent of this department, Mrs. Rosa Brown, has found the work growing beyond her single efforts.

Reports were made of defeats of two attempts to open new saloons. The society was authorized to thank the Executive Board for their action in refusing these licenses.

Mrs. Gillenwater and Mrs. Anna C. McDowell were elected trustees of the W. C. T. U. building, and the following members were re-elected: Mrs. Jennie H. Robinson, Mrs. M. E. Catlin, Mrs. Emma Sanford Shelton, Mrs. Mary E. Brown, Mrs. Anson S. Taylor, Mrs. Clinton Smith, Mrs. M. E. Cohen, Miss Louise L. Weightman, Miss Alfred Wood, Miss Sarah Dunham, Miss Nellie H. Bradley, Miss Teresa A. Williams, Mrs. Hannah Crosby, Mrs. M. G. Cope, Mrs. Charles P. Grandfield, Mrs. W. E. De Reimer, Mrs. Lydia D. Merrick, Mrs. Helen Groo.

Delegates to the Anti-Saloon League were elected as follows: Mrs. Noerr, Mrs. Cusick, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Sara Smith, and Mrs. Boyd.

An announcement was made of a "Conundrum Contest" to be held at 522 Sixth street northwest, Friday, November 3, at 8 o'clock.

## RECHABITES TAKE IN MANY NEW MEMBERS

Mrs. Mary Foote Henderson, wife of ex-Senator John B. Henderson, with six others, was initiated into Onward Tent, No. 1021, Independent Order of Rechabites, last Wednesday evening. There were addresses by Past High Tent Representatives Le Strange, Rolif, W. L. Griffin, Mrs. Gillett, and Mrs. Duling. Messrs. Wright and Bennett sang. The tent now numbers about 175 members.

Welcome Tent, Junior, initiated nine

candidates on Tuesday night, and is arranging to organize a drum corps.

Harmony Tent, No. 1020, initiated six candidates Tuesday evening.

Edwin V. Bennett has returned from Bar Harbor. In John B. Henderson and Eagle tent, last evening, he sang. High Chief Ruler Cordell has been informed that there are eleven names on a charter application in Albany, N. Y., and eight in Philadelphia, and that tents will soon be organized in both places.

The high chief ruler has ordered the following deputy high chief rulers named:

Miss Amy L. Bickerton, of Onward Tent, for Purity Tent, No. 4; William W. Burlew, of Advance Tent, for Harmony Tent, No. 1021; William H. Le Strange, of Harmony Tent, for John B. Henderson Tent, No. 1089; J. C. Eller, of Jehu Tent, for Eagle Tent, No. 2; James T. Rolif, of Harmony Tent, for Advance Tent, No. 1009.

The board of directors and High Tent officers will meet at the office of the high chief ruler, 461 G street northwest, Wednesday evening.

## TRUE REFORMERS CONCLUDE CELEBRATION OF ANNIVERSARY

The celebration of the twenty-third year of the existence of the True Reformers of the District closed Tuesday night, with a reception given in honor of W. R. Griffin, chief in charge of the order in the District.

Sunday, October 15, at 2:30 p. m., several hundred members of the order left the hall at the corner of Twelfth and U streets northwest, in a line of march to the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church. About 2,000 or more people assembled at the church to hear the twenty-third annual sermon, and to erect the chief and the grand worthy mistress of the order from Philadelphia, Pa., Mr. Lewis. Mrs. Rosa Thompson, and Mrs. F. H. James, of Washington, and the president of the True Reformers' Bank of Richmond, Va., accompanied by the

chief of one of the departments in the general office, at Richmond, Va., Miss L. P. James.

The sermon was preached by the Rev. J. Anderson Taylor, D. D., pastor of Shiloh Baptist Church. Speeches were made by Thomas W. West, M. M. Peace, the Rev. W. L. Taylor, D. D., the president of the True Reformers' Bank, and Mrs. Rosa Thompson. W. R. Griffin acted as master of ceremonies.

## JUNIOR RECHABITES HOLD WEEKLY MEETING

Victor Tent, Junior Rechabites, held its first weekly meeting Monday evening, since the session of the high tent, which adjourned last Thursday. Four candidates were initiated. John A. Mitchell, of Eagle Tent, who is councilor of the juniors, and who was elected delegate to represent them at the high tent, reported the proceedings of that body.

Eagle Tent, No. 2, will be visited by the high chief ruler and high secretary Thursday evening, and will be given some good points as to how to proceed with temperance work during the coming fiscal year.

Friday evening Eastern Tent will initiate Mrs. Mary Smith into the mysteries of the ladies' branch of the organization.

## VISITATIONS TO SUBORDINATE COUNCILS ARRANGED

The semi-annual visitations to the subordinate councils, Sons of Jonadab, have been arranged as follows: Good Will, No. 9, November 4; Empire, No. 14, November 12; Pioneer, No. 1, December 1; Centennial, No. 4, December 16; Monumental, No. 1, December 17; Potomac, No. 16, January 6. Sovereign Chief S. H. Willey has ap-

pointed the following deputies: For Pioneer, No. 1, W. E. Monroe, of Good Will; for Centennial, No. 4, E. J. Katigan, of Pioneer; for Good Will, No. 9, A. H. Ragan, of Pioneer; for Empire, No. 14, John Berry, of Pioneer; for Potomac, No. 16, Fred O. Leatz, of Empire; for Monumental, No. 1, Henry Ehms, of Centennial.

## EDUCATIONAL

## STERNBERG PROFESSOR IN GEORGE WASHINGTON

The third of the assemblies of George Washington University for the present academic year was held Wednesday noon in assembly hall. The following announcements were made: Brig. Gen. George M. Sternberg, U. S. A., has been appointed professor of preventive medicine in the faculty of graduate studies. The faculty of medicine has favored the opening of the medical school to women, upon the condition that an adequate endowment shall be secured.

President Needham introduced Prof. Vance as the newly appointed dean of the department of law and jurisprudence, to succeed Dr. Henry St. George Tucker, resigned. Dean Vance announced the appointment of James B. Scott as lecturer on equity, to supply the vacancy caused by Dr. Tucker's resignation.

B. Frank Meyers rendered three numbers which were very well received: Schumann's "The Two Grenadiers," Mozart's "A Son of the Desert Am I," Phillips' "Oh! Isis and Osiris." The subject of the address delivered by President Needham was "The Cor-

nerstone." He emphasized the vital importance of character, to which he referred as "a superstructure built by the individual, laid upon foundations that are prepared for him, and which he inherits. It is the sum of ethical traits which give to a man his individuality. Good character is the soul's uprightness and healthy freedom from corruption and decay—a willingness and a will to do right."

## NATIONAL LAW DEBATERS READY FOR CHALLENGES

The post-graduate, senior and junior classes of the National University Law School met in the lecture hall of the university Tuesday evening and elected debating officers for the coming term as follows: President, W. J. Neale; vice president, Frederick Seney; secretary, A. S. Gardner; recording secretary, Clarence O. Wood; treasurer, Theodore F. Dorsey; sergeant-at-arms, C. A. Jaquette. Messrs. James L. Wilmeth, J. Frank Burns, C. L. Lane, and P. P. Daniels were elected members of the executive committee.

The class starts out under favorable auspices and hopes soon to challenge the Georgetown and other university teams in debate.

## UNIVERSITY DEBATERS ORGANIZE FOR WINTER

The regular annual election of officers of the Columbian Debating Society of George Washington University was held Friday evening. The following were elected to serve one year: President, M. Roy McGee, Illinois; vice president, R. Ross, Tennessee; secretary, Michael Levine, Wisconsin; treasurer, Walter L. Furber, New York; executive (Continued on Tenth Page.)

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